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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
10/057,833	01/24/2002	Keith Hochhalter	6683.01

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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 02/26/2002

## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$177.
  - \$135 for 15 total claims over 20.
  - \$42 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 612.

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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01 FC:201 370.00 OP  
02 FC:203 135.00 OP  
03 FC:202 42.00 OP  
04 FC:205 65.00 OP

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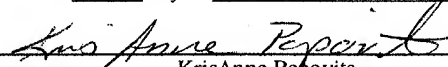
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First Named Inventor:	Keith Hochhalter	Examiner:	Not Yet Known
Appln. No.:	10/057,833	Group Art Unit:	2834
Filing Date:	January 24, 2002		
Title:	ELECTRIC ACTUATOR		

**FILING OF MISSING PARTS  
OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(f)**

Box **MISSING PARTS**  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

I hereby certify that this document is being sent via First Class U. S. mail addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on this 21 day of March, 2002.

  
KrisAnne Popovits

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted, mailed on February 26, 2002, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(f), the following documents are enclosed:

1. Required copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (1 page);
2. Executed Declaration (2 pages);
3. Executed Power of Attorney (1 page);
4. Executed Submission Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) with copy of Assignment (3 pages);
5. Fee Transmittal Sheet (1 page);
6. Check Number 907427 in the amount of \$612 (\$547 in which to cover the basic filing fee and additional claims fee, and \$65 for the surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e)); and
7. Return Receipt Postcard.

Application Number: 10/057,833

Docket 6683.01

Respectfully submitted,

DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP

Date:

March 21, 2002

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# APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET (FOR FY 2002)



## Complete if Known

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## METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)

1. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:

Deposit Account No.: 04-1420

Deposit Account Name: DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP

☒ Charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17

☒ Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)

2. ☒ Check Enclosed

## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
114	160	214	80	<input type="checkbox"/> Prov. Filing Fee
101	740	201	370	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility Filing Fee
106	330	206	165	<input type="checkbox"/> Design Filing Fee
108	740	208	370	<input type="checkbox"/> Reissue Filing Fee
Subtotal (1)				\$370.00

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Number Claims	Prior	Extra	Fee from Below*	Fee Paid
Total	35	-	20 = 15	x \$9.00	= \$135.00
Indep.	4	-	3 = 1	x \$42.00	= \$42.00
Multiple Dependent Claims				x	=
Subtotal (2)					\$177.00

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent Claim
109	84	209	42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

## FEE CALCULATION (Continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - Late nonprovisional filing fee or oath	\$65.00
126	180	126	180	Submission of IDS	
581	40	81	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	280	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
146	740	246	370	Submission After Final 1.129	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
148	110	248	55	Terminal Disclaimer Fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility/Reissue Issue Fee (including advance copies)	
143	460	243	230	Design Issue Fee (inc. advance copies)	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
195	300	195	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	
196	300	196	300	Publication fee for re-publication	
140	110	240	55	Petition to Revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to Revive - unintentional	
OTHER FEE (specify)					
Subtotal (3)					\$65.00
Total Amount of Payment:					\$612.00

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